UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



In re:	§	
VITAMINS ANTITRUST LITIGATION	§ § §	M.D.L. No. 1285 MISC No. 99-197 (TFH)
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:	§	
ALL CLASS ACTIONS	9 § 8	

STIPULATED ORDER

The undersigned parties hereby stipulate and agree to the following:

- Class Plaintiffs' reply in support of its motion for leave to file a Second Consolidated Amended Class Action Complaint shall be filed on or before July 25, 2000; and
- 2. In light of the Court's statements at the July 12, 2000 status conference that it will consider the Niacin Defendants' (Lonza Inc., Degussa-Huls Corporation, Reilly Industries, Inc., and Nepara, Inc.) opposition to the Class Plaintiffs' motion for leave to file a Second Consolidated Amended Class Action Complaint and issue a further ruling on that motion, the Niacin Defendants shall file their responses to the amended complaint within 30 days of the Court issuing a further ruling granting leave to amend.

Respectfully submitted,

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